OUTCOME OF CAMPAIGN **RESTS ON CROWN PRINCE**

Berlin Insists That Verdum Is in-

ment of Verdun is now complete, and, coast. The movements of warships therefore, expects that within two or encounters were given. days there will be resumption of the offensive along the whole German front. On the other hand, the latest official communication issued in behalf of the allies states that the

of Rheims probably means more to the of Rheims probably means more to the French army, so far as morals is concerned, than the rolling up of the German left wing beyond Verdun, so that the battle line on the Aisne, already the battle line on the Aisne, already alry is at Kiauchau city. he scene of sanguinary fighting is o-day undoubtedly the scene of a stub-orn struggle of the flercest descrip-

Petrograd reports that although news damage from General Brussloffs ny is lacking and part of General asky's force still is to be heard General from, it is estimated that the Austrian forces have lost one-third of their available personnel and two-thirds of their artiflecy. It is evident that the Situation at Tsingeliau, in which it is defared that Japanese cavalry likes an enerals now hope to bette up the Austrians and their German for the Education of the Situation of Small Protected Vessel Probably is Reprisal on Part of British for Loss of the Pathfinder. BERLIN, September 15 (via Copenhaustrian Metz. No hope is expressed for the early capture of this fortres, but it is expected that the remaints of the Austro-Hungarian forces will be sept within its walls until the end of the sept within its walls until the end of the sept within its walls until the end of the sept within its walls until the end of the september 15. Tokyo, September 12, the War Office has given out an official statement relation to the situation at Tsingeliau, in which it is defared that Japanese cavalry to the Singeliau, in which it is defared that Japanese cavalry the English for Loss of the Pathfinder. BERLIN, September 15 (via Copenhaustrian Metz. No hope is expressed of the enemy occasionall) in Sighted.

Severation of Small Protected Vessel Probably is Reprisal on Part of British for Loss of the Pathfinder. BERLIN, September 15 (via Copenhaustrian and London, 6:55 A. M.).—It is officially announced that on the morning of September 12 the small cruiser Hela was sunk by a torpedo from a hostile varied of the crew was saved.

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STATEMENT OF METHODS
LONDON. September 15.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail, explaining General Joffre's saccess, says:

"The reward of praise must be chiefly Joffre's. It was not always kithely that the name of Joffre was mentioned during the retreat from the frontier, though the chorus of praise now would make one think confidence had never wavered. He has had the courage to expose himself to the danger of contempt and the criticism of his country to realize his plan for final victory. General Joffre recently said:

"There are two methods of making war, one is to employ troops in masses and the other to fight in extended order. The former is the German method. It is immensely costly in life, but they can afford it for two reasons, the immense superiority in number, and the fact that their men are disciplined to such mechanical obedience that they night best when closely held together under the personal command of their officers.

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"The extended order is the French way. The French soldier does not aght well wedged together, and he becomes impatient under constant command and mechanical discipline.

"In the open country I cannot meet troops in a mass and of greatly superior numbers with extended troops. To have the best chance for success I must fight in such a position that the battlefield is limited to the strong fortresses which will support the extended lines of the French, and by limiting the front will hamper the movements of the Germans."

"This is what Joffre has done, and has retired to the narrowest part of France, between Paris and Verdun, The success of his strategy is amply shown."

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GERMAN BALTIC SQUADRON HAS 15 VESSELS IN ACTION

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Military Critics on Both Sides Agree
That His Position Is Crux
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REPORTS WIDELY DIVERGENT

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of the Exchange Telegraph Company says it has been officially reported there from Berlin that the German Baltic squadron, which is composed of twenty-nine units, has fifteen vessels in action.

erlin Insists That Verdum Is invested, and Offensive Movement Soon Will Be Resumed Along Entire Line.

This dispatch is given in the phrase-ology in which it passed the British censor, Its meaning is hard to comprehend. It may be that the correspondent is endeavoring to convey the idea that the German Reet in the Baltic, commissed, originally of twenty-nine.

GERMANS AND JAPANESE IN FIRST ENCOUNTER

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HENRICO OFFICER FINED FOR SHOOTING IN STREET

Sergeant Marrin Testifies That Po- President Notified of Favorable Acliceman G. P. Powell Was Drunk at Ball Park.

ADMITS TAKING FEW DRINKS STATE CONVENTION MEETS

Will Welcome the Day When Annexation Gives Him Authority in Debatable Territory.

judicial eye. Powell was also required to give a \$300 bond for his good be-havior. He noted an appeal from the dad.

Justice's decision, and his wife went his bond.

The heads of the mine companies

Powell twice ejected Martin from the ball park during the wrestling match there Monday night on account of the the controversy last week. behalf of the allies states that the crown prince has been driven back/and has moved his headquarters from Sainte Menhoul, south of Rheims, to Mont Faucon, about fiftee miles northeast.

Berlin admits that the weakened German right wins has been turned thack, but discounts the reverse by maintaining that it will have no effect on the general forward novement to be infinited when Verdun falls.

PRENCH NOW CAN FIGHT

The very candid statement of German strong are capable of waging indicates that the French are now in a position to take up the gage of battle on their own terms and in a country fifter own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted with the collection of their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on their own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifted on the firm of the first own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifty Japanese force is recommended to the officer power of the first own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifty Japanese force is recommended to the first own terms and in a country fifty Japanese force is recommended to the fifty of the first own terms and in a country fifty Japanese troops are fifty Japanese force is recommended to t

day.

Sergeant Marrin, of the Second District, witnessed the shooting, and at once placed Powell under arrest. He was taken to the Second Station, where he was charged with recklessly firing a revolver in the street. In testifying against the man Sergeant Marrin said that he was intoxicated at the lime of the shooting. Kiauchau city is about five miles outside the border of the German territory of Kiauchau to the northwest.

GERMAN CRUISER SUNK BY HOSTILE SUBMARINE

The German cruiser Hela was a small ed. "If Federal

Unofficial Returns Indicate Democratic Victory in Maine.

POLITIAND, ME., September 15.—
Unofficial returns from yesterday's State election covering all but a few small towns, give Oakley C. Curtis, Democratic candidate for Governor, a lead of 3,300 over Governor William T. Haines, his Republican opponent.
Complete unofficial returns for the State Legislature show that the Republicans will have a majority of three in the Senate and the Democratis of five in the lower branch, and two on joint of the Republicans will have a majority of three in the Senate and the Democratis of five in the lower branch, and two on joint of the Republicans will have a majority of three in the Senate and the Democratis of five in the lower branch, and two on joint of the first day's sessions. Governor Locke Craig, of North Carolina, Insurance Commissioners T. M. Henry, of Mississippi; F. H. McMaster, of South aCrolina, Insurance Commissioners T. M. Henry, of Mississippi; F. H. McMaster, of South aCrolina, and E. H. Deavitt, of Vermont, and James H. Southgate, of Durham, N. C., former president of the National Association of Fire Insurance Agents, were among the speakers of the first day's sessions. the lower branch, and two on joint On This, Queen Wilhelmina Intimates,

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to marry were issued yesterday by Deputy Clerk Breeden, of the Hustings Court, to John S. Napier and Mary H. Scarborough: John Armnein and Theresa R. Fisher; and John J. Craven and C. Pearl Kraft.

mobilization of the Netherlands army and navy, and the pity she felt for the fate of the nations drawn into this war, the Queen continued:

"Holland is bearing with a good heart the extraordinary burdens imposed upon her, and is receiving with posed upon her, and is receiving with the pity she felt for the fate of the nations drawn into this war, the Queen continued:

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MINE WORKERS ACCEPT TENTATIVE PEACE PLAN

tion on His Proposal to End Colorado Strike.

Police Justice Crutchfield Says He Heads of Companies Involved Inform Chief Executive They Are Carefully Considering Suggested Basis for Settlement of Controversy.

LONDON. September 15.—For once the military critics of both sides agree that the outcome of the campaign in Eastine operation of the crown prince's army before Verdun; but on the question of accomplished facts the divergence of opinion: is as wide as ever. Berlin maintains that the investigent of Verdun is now complete, and, ment of the Verdun is not considerable ment of the United to have county policeman, who is said to have county policeman, who is said to have county policeman, who is said to have entlangered the lives of a score of the United Mine Workers of America county policeman, who is said to have entlangered the lives of a score of the United Mine Workers of America county policeman, who is said to have entlangered the lives of a score of the United Mine Workers of America county policeman, who is said to have entlangered the lives of a s

No Vote by State Convention.
TRINIDAD, COL., September 15.—
Colorado coal miners at the State-convention of the United Mine Workers of America to-day did not vote on adop-tion of the peace plan drawn up by a Federal board and urged for adoption by President Wilson and the internaional officers of the miners' union. Several speakers urged acceptance of the plan, but the meeting adjourned until to-morrow without taking a vote.

William R. Fairley, one of two mediators appointed by the Secretary of Labor, told the delegates it would be

officially announced of September 13 the small cruiser Held was sunk by a torpedo from a hostile submarine. Almost the whole of the united States in a where he will be ridiculed by where he will be ridiculed by the sail over the country? he "Are you going to put the President

Holland's Existence Depends. THE HAGUE (via London, September 15, 12:35 P. M.).—Queen Wilhelmina

Knights of Columbus to Meet.

A meeting of Richmond Council, No. 395, Knights of Columbus, will be held to-night at \$10 East Grace Street. A large attendance of the members is required, as many matters of great importance will be acted on.

Marriage Liceuses.

THE HAGUE (via Bondon, September 15, 12:35 P. M.).—Queen Wilhelmina in a speech from the throne at the opening of the State's General to-day emplastized the necessity for strictest neutrality, upon which she intimated Holland's national existence depended. After referring to the satisfactory mobilization of the Netherlands army and navy and the pity she felt for the

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